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## REMARKABLE DISCOVERY IN TENNESSEE.....

Scientists are going to see one of the most singular finds ever made in the West. See NEXT SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH

## DESERTERS OF WIVES ARE TO BE PROSECUTED

Judge Warwick Hough Says  
He Will Turn Evidence in  
Divorce Cases Over to the  
Prosecuting Attorney.

## TIRED OF FREQUENT CHARGES OF THE KIND

Denounces Wife Deserters  
From the Bench and Asks  
the Attorneys to Co-Operate  
With Him in Bringing  
Them to Justice.

Wife deserters, whose wives apply for divorce in Judge Warwick Hough's division of the Circuit Court, will be right in line for trouble.

Judge Hough has announced that it will be the rule of his court henceforth to lay the evidence of desertion and non-support in such cases before the prosecuting-attorney and lend every effort in his power to enforce the statute for wife-abandonment against such husbands.

Judge Hough has been considering this step for some time, and was urged by the wives of deserters of divorce cases filed by women, in which the leading allegations are desertion a short while after marriage and continued non-support.

His decision assumed definite form at the close of the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Louise Ruggaber against John Ruggaber.

The plaintiff was represented by Attorney E. F. Cunningham. The defendant did not appear.

Mrs. Ruggaber testified that her husband never supported her from the day he wed her, and finally deserted her 18 months after the marriage.

She was granted a decree and the restoration of her maiden name, Louise Hundermark, with \$100 alimony in gross.

After entering the order Judge Hough made the following statement from the bench: "Honor, I intend to place the evidence of divorce cases, in which wanton desertion is cited in this court, before the prosecuting attorney, in an effort to break up this practice."

### Asks Co-Operation of the Attorneys.

"The court suggests to attorneys in such cases that they assist the court in this procedure. Such offenders ought to be convicted and jailed under the wife-abandonment statutes."

"There are too many reckless fellows who presume on a passing acquaintance, made, perhaps, in a street car or under similar circumstances, who marry girls with no serious intentions of fulfilling the obligations of a husband. Too frequently they elope with a girl with the evident purpose of deserting her at the first opportunity."

### FOUND DAUGHTER IN PRISON

After Three Years' Search Mother Sees  
Lost Girl and Procures Her  
Release.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CARBONDALE, Ill., March 5.—Nora Taylor, who is charged with being an accessory after the fact in the murder of W. C. Smith, for which Charles Brown, also known as Little Frank, and Willie Skinner, known as Little Frank, have been released from the county jail under the rules of the state.

The rules were set by the mother, who has searched for her daughter three years, Nora left home several years ago and as far as anyone could learn, other than the mother, determined, after failing to get reply to numerous letters, to her or where she was buried, if dead.

She came to Cairo from her home in New York, and when she learned from her half-sister, Mrs. Peleg, that Nora was in trouble, but not until she came to Murphysboro Tuesday afternoon did she know her only daughter was in jail.

Miss Louise L. Malone is the name of Nora's mother, who has married since the death of her father.

C. H. DeLois of Murphysboro furnished the bond that procured the release.

### CONSCIENCE REVEALS MURDER Dying Consumptive, Suffering From Repose, Exposes Robber Gang That Killed Man

CHICAGO, March 5.—Murder committed by a band of thieves, who drugged and robbed strangers nightly in West Madison street saloons and which had been committed for three years, has been made known to the police by John Lyons, one of the band.

The man who is said to be dying of consumption says his conscience gave him no rest, and that he will find peace only in death.

George Howard, a printer, was the victim and on the statements made by Lyons, he and another man have been placed against Joseph Moore and James B. Moore, who were brought here today from St. Louis.

So many were the robberies that Lyons and so accustomed were the men to dealing out chloroform to their intended victims that the damage of face removal was not until Howard failed to recover, and the possibilities of the gallows frightened the robbers.

Howard was drugged in a saloon in West Madison street. After he fell in a stupor of the place, when the robbers left him until he was picked up by the police and died in the patrol wagon.

Lyons was brought to the Briton, well when his failing health quickened his conscience and he made a confession, on the strength of which the search for Moore and "they" was begun.

## SUBURBAN PAVES WAY FOR ABSORPTION BY TRANSIT CO.

Acceptance of Provisions of Law of 1899, Filed by Company at Jefferson City, Makes It Possible for Street Railway Monopoly to Absorb Its Only Competitor.

## EITHER LEASE OR OUTRIGHT PURCHASE NOW POSSIBLE IN ACCORD WITH LAW

By Elmer L. Peterson City their formal acceptance of the provisions of the street railway consolidation law passed in 1899, the directors of the St. Louis & Suburban Railway Co. have prepared the way for the consolidation of that road with the St. Louis Transit Co. at any time in the future. All the legal preliminaries are now arranged, and the control of the Suburban company can be turned over to the transit company at any time that the managers of both systems can agree upon a financial basis for the transaction.

President Hough said that the Suburban

denies that his road is to be sold to the Transit company, but persons familiar with the

situation point out that the consolidation may be affected by the Transit company merely leasing the Suburban system and operating it, just as it does its present lines, all of which are leased from the United Railways Co.

The action of the Suburban officials in filing the acceptance of the provisions of the street railway law of 1899 followed immediately a notice filed with the secretary of state that the capital stock of the Suburban and its co-ordinate branches had been increased.

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## WIDOW WIN RUNAWAY



MRS. ELIZA K. FOLLANSBEE

### Found Her Lying

In the Bathroom.

Leaving her daughter there, apparently well except for her nervousness, Mrs. Bishop went across the street for a few minutes of business. When she returned she found her daughter lying on the floor of the bathroom unconscious and frothing at the mouth. Her eyes were closed and staring upwards. She could not speak.

When help was obtained she was carried into the adjoining bedroom, undressed and put to bed. She died at 3 o'clock.

Dr. Vaughan, who arrived about 1:30 and worked over her for nearly an hour and a half, refused to issue a burial permit.

Barfield came in when his wife was dying, about 20 o'clock. He remained a short time, expressing his regrets, and then left again.

In the investigation of Mrs. Bishop he was overtaken by Officer Aged and arrested.

Miss Mrs. Bishop will advance no theory to account for her daughter's death, she says she is positive that the bottle half-filled with cyanide was found on Barfield's desk. Full when she saw it last. She says the bottle stood for some time on a shelf in a cupboard.

She has admitted that Barfield has been in the habit of carrying cyanide of potassium about with him, using it at his trade.

She says there were no cyanide bottles or any drugs around the house to which her daughter could have had access.

Her daughter was only 22 years old, and beautiful.

Miss Bishop admits that the existence of the Krocinski woman was a bar to the complete happiness of her daughter and Barfield.

### A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER.

#### The Way Physicians Now Treat Catarrh.

Physicians who formerly depended upon inhalers, sprays and local washes or ointments now use Stuart's Catarrh Tablets because as one of the most prominent stated, these tablets contain in pleasant, convenient form all of the really efficient and reliable catarrh remedies such as red gum, blood root and hydrastis.

They contain no cocaine or opiate (so common in liquid catarrh medicines and ointments) and are given to little children with entire safety and benefit.

Dr. J. J. Reittinger says: "I suffered from Catarrh in my head and throat every winter and it would hang on clear into summer, with stoppage of the nose and irritation in the throat, affecting my voice so that I was continually clearing my throat before I could speak plainly; it finally extended to the stomach, causing catarrh of the stomach.

"I bought a 50-cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at my druggist's, carried them in my pocket and used them regularly several times a day, and the way in which they cleared my head and throat and improved my voice, heart and general health is wonderful. Little short of remarkable. I had no catarrh last winter and

ring and know I am entirely free from catarrhal trouble whatever."

Dr. Jerome Ellison of Wheeling writes: "Mrs. Jerome Ellison of Wheeling writes: 'I suffered from catarrh nearly my whole life and last winter my two children also suffered from catarrhal colds and sores out so much they were out of school a part of the winter. My brother, who was cured of catarrhal deafness by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, urged me much to try them that I sent to the druggist and bought a package, and I am truly thankful for what they have done for me and my children. I always keep a box of the tablets in the house and at the first appearance of a cold or sore throat one or two of the catarrh tablets nips it in the bud, and catarrh is no longer a household affliction with us.'

### DEATHS.

ESTER—On Wednesday, March 4, at 4:45 a.m., George W. J. Carpenter, beloved son of David and Tena Carpenter (nee Peirce), after a short illness, at the age of 2 years and 17 days.

Funeral will take place on Friday, March 6, at 2 p.m., from family residence, 412 North Main Street, in the Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

NEILS—Abraham Daniels, after a lingering illness, died, March 5, 1903.

Funeral will take place Friday, 6th inst., at 10 o'clock p.m., from family residence, 4029 North Main Street, in the Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

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Officer Frank H. Waite, beloved husband of Mary E. Waite, once Nozman, son of Wm. G. and Susan A. Waite, age 23 years.

Funeral will take place Saturday, the 7th inst., at 2 p.m., from family residence, 4029 North Main Street, in the Calvary Cemetery. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Member of Bond Lodge No. 99, G.A.R.

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# MISSISSIPPI FLOODSMENACE MANY LIVES

Hundreds Along the Lower River Flee From the Raging Waters Which Threaten to Gnaw Through Levees.

CRISIS EXPECTED IN 5 DAYS, SAY EXPERTS

Chief Danger Point Is at Caruthersville, Mo., Where the New Levee Supports Are Not Completed.

By a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 5.—The Mississippi, swollen by influx of the heavy floods of a dozen large rivers, will rise above the high water mark of 1897 in the next five days.

Expert river men are filled with fear, and already the exodus of dwellers without the levee districts has begun.

Profiting by the appalling disasters in the 1897 flood, when the water reached 73.5 feet, the authorities have strengthened their homes and fled to the highlands.

This, too, in the face of the improvements to the levees between Cairo and Memphis, on which the government has expended millions of dollars.

Far up the Ohio' is an avalanche of water, which is expected to reach Memphis in the next few days.

The United States weather authorities have predicted heavy rains. When this is added to the immense volume booming against the artificial banks, men who have studied the mysterious stream's vagaries a half century, predict there will be flood scenes such as have never before been witnessed.

The feeling of gloom is general.

Crowds gather about the river, while the bulletin boards are piled high with the rise of the mighty streams which feed the Mississippi. Waters, and the consensus of opinion is that the floods of 1897 and 1887 will be outdone.

No less an authority than Capt. W. B. Russell, agent for one of the largest packet lines between the Mississippi and the Ohio, whose opinion is taken by river men as almost infallible, fears a great flood.

For the last two weeks the weather bureau has lost partial confidence in the situation. Five days ago he had predicted that the waters would resist the Mississippi's encroachments.

While more optimistic than other experts, he said the water would rise to 75 feet, as high as it did six years ago, and he has advised everyone to prepare for a flood.

Since the heavy rainfall, as anticipated, the crest of the Mississippi wave will surpass all previous markings.

This great, heavy, fury, torrent.

Forecaster Emery says the high water has prevailed for ten days.

During the last week the Ohio has point, risen, having fallen at but one point, only, Paducah. This is temporary.

At Pittsburgh, the rise has been 17.6 feet; at Davis Island, 15.6; at Cincinnati, 12, and at Louisville, 6.5.

To add to the gravity of the situation, the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers have made record-breaking rises. The former has risen 10.5 feet, and will rise 48 hours and the latter 15.4 feet at Chattanooga.

Captains and pilots on the packets plying north to St. Louis say that the intervening low points are completely inundated.

The levees which check the Mississippi's spread have been amazingly lowered.

Country roads are inundated, many ways

landings are inaccessible and the only mode

of travel is by skiff or raft.

One steamer, the "Goodwin," tonnage sunken, pushed its way through a channel newly formed to a sunken river town three miles from the main stream.

Forecaster Emery anticipates the greatest danger at Caruthersville, Mo., of all levees.

In 1893 the embankment at Caruthersville was rebuilt. Since then the river has eaten away the bank, and the danger is so apparent that the engineer has planned a new dike behind the old.

The great improvement Co. of St. Louis has the contract and is hastening

the work in hopes of beating the arrival of the spring inundations.

All the work on the new dike was completed when the rise made it impossible to use the scrapers propelled by mules.

Through this the mules rushed through Capt. E. C. Luer's corps, the engineering corps, is reinforcing the new dike at a temporary levee, there is much apprehension.

Fortunately the break is a mile below the town, and protection is afforded it, a narrow strip of land having been left.

South of Memphis there is deep consternation. At Walnut Bend the treacherous river has given in, the intervening levees and a whirling eddy was formed, which alarmed the whole countryside.

Capt. H. W. Moore, chief engineer of the St. Louis & San Joaquin, who had threatened to close the river, was thrown into the breach, while hundreds of residents and teams worked zealously until the flood had been excluded.

The great water line is being maintained day and night wherever the embankments manifest the slightest appearance of danger.

Another point of danger is at Modoc.

The break caused by the 1897 flood never thoroughly been closed. It is brought to memory by the fact that the whole community has moved in for safety, carrying away what valuable articles they can.

Hundreds of livestock have been to their fate.

Two miles up the river, farther south, is its faith in a levee, which engrosses impregnable. Already water is within 10 feet of its highest level.

When the water rises the people will be compelled to evacuate the

W. A. E. Standish, of the packet line Noland, which plies up the Arkansas, says that river is swollen from the waters of the Mississippi, which has risen 5 miles into the Arkansas.

The waters of the Arkansas and its tributaries, which form

expanses over 1,000 miles, from

the Arkansas' mouth to Red Rock, there

is a landing place which is not sub-

ject to the water.

Many of the Arkansas' rafts have

hastily improvised and cows, horses,

and pigs driven thereunto until the flood had been excluded.

The great water line is being main-

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The big store's founder,

be impassable at points and heavy washouts are anticipated.

But the impetuous levees surrounding Memphis, the river would extend 40 miles over the S. Grand bottoms. The idea of this point is marvellous, on which the boldest engineering skill has been expended.

Hopefield, Ark., opposite Memphis, a

town of 200, is inundated. Residents

have driven their livestock to places of

greater altitudes.

The clubhouse of the Hopefield Jockey

Club, a poolroom operated by Memphis turfmen, is entirely surrounded, yet the hundred of racecourse devotees reach it by steamer and skiffs.

Ordinarily the building is 100 feet from the bank. It is built on piles to meet such emergencies.

From the bank on which the custom house of Memphis stands, thousands of persons daily watch the river.

At the back parlor and wants to write up.

There is no such a thing as a cherry tree.

Herewith the touching cannot tell a single episode was enacted.—New York Times.

less visible and, when the great rise comes, they will disappear altogether.

How It Happened.

Washington was playing chess when his father, usually called him, "George," he whispered thrusting a hatchet in his hand. "Parson Weems is in the back parlor and wants to write up.

He is the best parlor and wants to write up.

Herewith the touching cannot tell a single episode was enacted.—New York Times.

SPAKES TO FACTORY MEN.

Rev. Frank Schivere Preaches at Buggy Factory.

Rev. Frank Schivere of New York, a member of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, is spending his third week in St. Louis preaching among factory employes.

Last week Mr. Schivere devoted his time

to the employees of the Brown Shoe Co., and more 1,000 men became interested in the sermons and attended the evening meetings, held at the Markham Memorial Church.

The church is a branch of the employees of the Banner Buggy Co.

Mr. Schivere has spent much of his time among the miners, often going into the mines to preach. The average wage, he says, gets only \$10 a month in cash, and often a large portion of this is spent for liquor.

He will speak on "Sobriety" next Sun-

day afternoon at the Y. M. C. A., Grand and Franklin avenues.

The German-American View.

One striking feature of the Venezuelan situation, and one that appears to have escaped attention, is the fact that the miners, often going into the United States protesting against the aggressive action of the German Empire. The miners are remunerated when they are present, but it is remunerated that a large body of the American citizens who

indicates the present, if they have not actually formulated it, are of German descent.

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**SILVER** **IGHT FOR IVORY CITY.**  
Night Illumination Schemes of World's Fair Decided On.

The night picture of the World's Fair will be a color scheme and brightness seldom attempted even on a small scale, but

never before on the plan demanded for the mammoth exhibition.

Chief Electrical Engineer Ruskin has made public his plan for turning the dome into a brilliant color picture by night, and these are the highlights of the entire plan. Small colored electric lights will be placed in the recesses of the fluted columns, friezes and wreaths,

where they will escape notice by day, but will blaze forth at night.

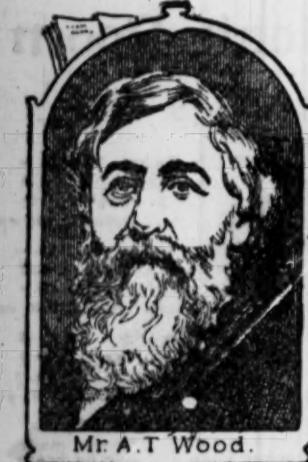
**Kentucky Historian Dead.**  
FRANKFORT, Ky., March 4.—Edward Porter Thompson, historian and public official of Kentucky, died here after a brief illness. At the time of his death he was compiling for the state its Confederate war records.

## SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOLS, (OF WASHINGTON, D. C.)

Thinks Pe-ru-na Should Be in Every Household.

In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, from 1410 N street, Washington, D. C., Prof. W. B. Powell says:

"Persuaded by a friend I have used Peruna as a tonic, and I take pleasure in recommending your remedy. Peruna is indeed a good medicine, and should be in every household."—W. B. Powell.



**Straightforward Evidence from Men of National Fame that Pe-ru-na Cures Catarrh.**

UCH straightforward evidence cannot be overlooked. What the common people say carries weight, but when a man of national prominence says: "Peruna should be used in every household, it is a significant fact to the increasing popularity and undoubted efficacy of Peruna.

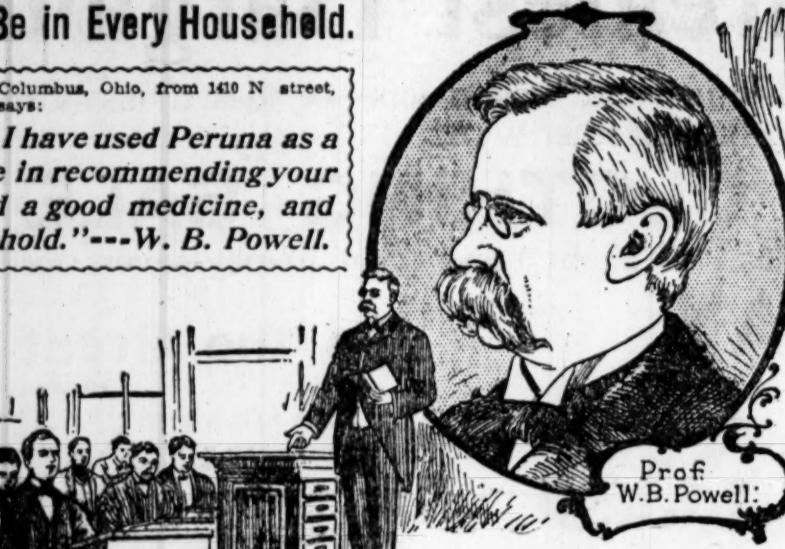
Peruna is of national fame as a catarrh remedy. It is the only internal, systemic catarrh remedy known to the medical profession. It makes no claim to be a specific, but it cures chronic catarrh of the head, lungs, stomach, kidneys or pelvic organs. It cures various diseases of all these organs, because it cures the disease of mankind, and not the catarrh. With healthy mucous membranes, catarrhal diseases lose their terror, the system is enabled to throw off contagion and health follows inevitably.

**"Pe-ru-na is the Best Remedy on Earth."**

Mr. A. T. Wood, Mount Sterling, Ky., writes:

"For many years I have been a sufferer from catarrh. I have spent time and money with physicians and used many kinds of remedies which were 'guaranteed sure cures,' but in every case it was money down the drain.

Then I tried benefit whatever from them, and spending vain search for relief I chased a bottle of Peruna, having no confidence in it whatever at the time. This



was about one year ago, and I began to improve and was able to attend to my business without being constantly hampered by every kind of pain known to a human being. My hearing, which was almost entirely gone in one ear, is now perfectly restored. This winter when every one was suffering from la grippe, I stood like a stone wall, absolutely proof against it. I am not a believer in 'patent medicines,' having found the majority of them takes, but I do not hesitate to recommend Peruna as the best medicine for catarrh the world has ever known. It is safe, it is simple, it is constant, and shall continue to do so, because I believe it to be the best remedy on earth. I never leave home that I don't put a bottle of it in my grip."

A. T. Wood.

H. Alexander, No. 1 Mountain street, Montreal, Canada, writes:

"After having suffered for several years with catarrh of the head, I have tried many kinds of medicines, calamine, snuff, balsam, etc., etc., a friend advised me to try Peruna, and use it according to directions. After taking half of the bottle my sufferings were as bad as ever, and I was unable to get up in the morning. I may be obliged to take it for a long time in order to get well. Peruna is the remedy for catarrh. Almost everybody knows that by hearsay and thousands know it by experience.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

**The Best Biscuit Baked**

yesterday were  
Uneeda Biscuit  
to-day are  
Uneeda Biscuit  
to-morrow will be  
Uneeda Biscuit

Sold only in In-cr-seal Packages

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NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

**NEURALGIA CAN BE CURED!**

**Sloan's Liniment**

**TIME TRIED 25¢  
VALUE PROVED**

**BLOOD POISON**  
The worst disease on earth, yet the easiest to know. It will eat the skin, and the flesh, and the bones, causing hair bone pains, catarrh, and so forth. It is a blood poison. Send to Dr. W. B. Powell, 1410 N street, Washington, D. C., or to W. B. Powell, 210 Locust street, St. Louis, Mo. For bottle, take one drachm of Sloan's Liniment. It will cure.

**BROWN'S CAPSULES**  
in 3000 drachms. Price 25¢

**CONRAD'S**  
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SALE STORES

GARDEN GROWN BEETS, 3-lb. can	5c
PURE MAPLE SUGAR, per pound brick	9c
EXTRA FANCY EVAPORATED PEACHES, 2 pounds for	15c
FINE FRESH HERRING, per dozen fish	18c
GEROOGY DEPT.	
CAL. APRICOTS—Standard per can—	13c
WHITE LABEL SOUP—One can (8 pounds) .....	10c
OLIVES—Stuffed with sweet Spanish olives, per can—	25c
CARICOL TEA—Fine blend in original box and pack—	39c
Canned Fish.	
SOFT SHELL CRABS—Regular 10c can	25c
MACOMOCHIE'S FRESH HERRING—12c	12c
SUMMER MACKEREL—12c	14c
MUSTARD SARDINES—10c can	7c
Cream Puffs 5 for 5c	
HUNTER'S Baltimore Rye	\$1.05
CAL. CHICORY—Finest with wine, per gallon	50c
BEVERAGES.	
SILK HAT COCKTAILS—All varieties, regular \$1.25 bottle cut to	\$1.00
WILSON RYE—Reg. \$1.25 bottle for	
Pendleton Rye Whisky	
Florist Mountain Rye, Quart Bottle, 70c	

618 LOCUST ST.  
44-74 Delmar Av.

## HARVEST OF MUD, BUT NO REAPERS

Street Commissioner's Call  
for Three Hundred Cleaners  
Is Unanswered.

### LABORERS PREFER DIGGING AT WORLD'S FAIR SITE

Wages Are \$1.50 a Day, Union Hours  
Prevail and Rude Tools and  
Ready Handy Are Only  
Requirements.

WANTED—300 able-bodied men to clean  
the streets; wages \$1.50 a day; eight-hour  
rule prevails.

The streets of St. Louis need cleaning.  
Street Commissioners' Varrelman has the  
money to accomplish the work, but is short of  
laborers.

Although it has been advertised that 300  
men were wanted, only 23 have since applied  
for work in the street cleaning department.

The almost impassable streets will re-  
main in that condition until the small  
army of laborers necessary to carry out the  
commissioner's campaign against mud  
and filth is secured.

Twelve-two of the 23 men who applied  
to work to day are now on the job, and were  
supplied with picks and shovels. The  
others were directed to supply themselves  
with tools of their own.

No man of average strength willing to  
work need complain of lack of employment  
as long as Commissioner Varrelman  
has his crusade for the cleaning of the  
streets. Every reinforcement to his corps  
of shovel-wielders is gladly welcomed.

Although the department is usually deluged with applications for work  
in his department, he is unable to account  
for the present scarcity of laborers.

He attributes the lack of laborers to the demand  
for unskilled laborers in excavation in  
work at the World's Fair site and on the  
various other public works which have been  
erected in anticipation of the Exposition.

Although man by the thousands are  
looking to St. Louis in search of employment,  
the work of cleaning the streets is  
unpopular, as they can't secure per-  
manent work at larger wages and  
the same hours.

**MARK TWAIN'S FRIEND DEAD.**

James A. Foreman Buried in Hannibal Cemetery.

Jas. A. Foreman, who was the boyhood friend of Mark Twain, was buried Thursday morning in the cemetery at Hannibal, Mo. His body was taken to Union Station early

Thursday morning from the residence, 882 Olive street, and was accompanied by W. C. Oliver, his son, and his wife.

During Mark Twain's boyhood at Hannibal James Foreman was his inseparable companion. He was then a lad, and then a boy, just as useless as all other kinds of medicine that I had used before. Nevertheless, I went on taking the medicine and had only two months after commencing to take Peruna when I had almost forgotten all about catarrh. My head is clear, the bad attacks gradually disappeared, and I am now able to attend to my work again.

Congressman George W. McBride writes:

"The excellence of Peruna for catarrh and colds has been so satisfactorily established

### PEACHES NOT BEYOND HOPE

Commission Merchants Do Not Believe

Crop Is Ruined.

St. Louis commission merchants are in-  
clined to take with allowance the state-  
ment that the peach crop of Missouri has

been ruined by the last blizzard. They  
point out that such assertions have been  
made many times before and proved to be  
untrue.

There is no doubt, they say, that the  
storm did destroy a great many buds, but  
the buds that remain in Missouri are so prolific  
that the crop will be even when a large part  
of the buds have been killed. For these

reasons dealers do not believe there will  
be a shortage.

**James J. Butler Back.**  
James J. Butler has returned from Wash-  
ington to St. Louis and is at his home.

## The Popular Low-Priced Store of St. Louis



ARTISTS' MATERIALS.

Hancock's White Enamel, for gold .....

for gold .....

Alco's Charcoal—5c

5 sticks in box .....

French Sketching Canvases—per  
yard .....

39c

Alco's Liquid Gold—For  
china—value .....

50c

**Fine Cut Glass and Jewelry Samples.**

What can compare with the scintillating  
beauty of rich cut glass! What could be finer  
for sideboard or buffet. The finest patterns in Amer-  
ican real cut glass will go Friday at irresistible  
prices—a rare bargain opportunity that you mustn't  
miss.



**CUT GLASS DECANTERS—**New  
designs—New and  
old—\$2.69

**CUT GLASS WATER BOTTLES—**New  
designs—New and  
old—\$1.39

**CUT GLASS TUMBLERS—**To  
day—\$2.98

**CUT GLASS MUSTARD JAR—**Heavy  
rolled  
top—\$1.00

**CUT GLASS NAPKIN RINGS—**Five  
designs—\$1.25

**CUT GLASS KNIFE RESTS—**Al-  
ways sold at 25c—\$1.40

**INDIVIDUAL SALT DISHES—**Heavy  
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**EXTRA LARGE BEAUTY PINS—**Five  
designs—\$1.25

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## SENATE IN EXTRA SESSION; MORGAN AGAIN ITS MASTER

Smoot, Mormon Apostle, Is Sworn In Without Protest Amid Applause, and Gorman's Return to the Fold Is the Signal for Much Handclapping.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The United States Senate met at noon today in special session called by the President.

It was an interesting event as such sessions do not usually occur except when a President of the United States is induced into office.

At the beginning of the new Congress— and today was the first session of the sixtieth Congress—the oath was administered to 26 senators who took office for six years. Of these 17 were re-elected as follows:

Allison (Iowa), Clay (Georgia), Dillingham (Vermont), Fairbanks (Indiana), Foraker (Ohio), McEnergy (Louisiana), Mallory (Florida), serving on appointment until the legislature meets, Penrose (Pennsylvania), Perkins (California), Pettus (Alabama), Platt (Connecticut), Platt (New York), Spooner (Wisconsin), Teller (Colorado).

The oath was administered to 13 new senators, although 12 of Mr. Gorman's supporters had 12 years in the Senate.

The new senators are: Fulton (Oregon), Gorman (Maryland), Heyburn (Idaho), Hopkins (Illinois), Latimer (South Carolina), Long (Kansas), McCreary (Kentucky), Newlands (Nevada), Overman (North Carolina), Smoot (Utah).

The Senate being a continuous body, its officers hold until their successors are chosen, so promptly at noon the body was called to order by President Pro Tem. Frye.

The scene was brilliant one, and not unlike the opening of every session of Congress.

The galleries were filled at an early hour, and in the family and reserved galleries were friends and relatives of the new senators.

The desks of the new senators could be distinguished by the wealth of flowers which had been provided.

The lavishness of admirers was shown by the fact that desks and even chairs in some instances were completely buried under huge floral pieces and beautiful bouquets.

With the swearing in of the new senators the proceedings were frequently interrupted by applause in the galleries.

Mr. Gorman received an ovation when his name was called.

President Pro Tem Frye announced that the chair "was especially lenient to the galleries today."

No objection was made when Mr. Smoot's name was called. He received some applause from the gallery.

Four newly-elected senators—Ankeny, Clarke (Iowa), Gallinger and Stone—were sworn in.

First to be taken up, probably, will be the Panama Canal treaty which has already received many days' consideration. That it was not approved long ago was due entirely to the stubborn opposition of Senator John T. Morgan of Alabama, who has steadfastly insisted on certain amendments being made to it. It is to be voted on again in the Senate as it had not spoken almost continually for a week in opposition to the treaty. It would have been ratified long ago. With the extra session Senator Morgan again comes to the front as the man of the day.

Third Object.

Lesson Show.

It will be the next lesson in the weeks of the Senate's rules, just such an one Senator Tillman furnished yesterday, representative Cannon, in securing the Senate's failure to enforce majority rule that case predicted the coming of a day when one senator can hold up all

legislation. Senator Morgan, when he receives his single-handed speech-making, will give the lurid exhibition within a few weeks of the Senate's filibustering and it is the general opinion in Washington that his fight against the canal will hasten its adoption.

The Republican leaders say they will let him resume his speech-making in opposition to the bill, but that the Senate will not be able to put it to him talk by the majority until it employs a continuous session.

At 80 years of age the Alabama senator is still a man of remarkable strength. During the short session just ended he spoke for two hours, 10,000 words, in opposing the Panama canal treaty. That means about two hundred ordinary speeches.

All this has been to the point, and not of the character of speech-making Senator Tillman held up the Senate when the new senators started to read Byron's complete works.

Had Much

More in Reserve.

Not only did Senator Morgan deliver this immense mass of matter, but he was primed with an equal quantity in addition. He will probably speak several hundred more words before he is worn out in the extra session. Known as the "father of the canal," Senator Morgan has spoken about twice as much oceanic waterway than any other man in addition to delivering speeches 200,000 words long, he sat in his seat steadily for two weeks or more ready at any time to spring into the debate with an argument full of fact.

He has no time in his intention to filibuster, and in a statement today asserted that he means merely to force proper amendment of the bill.

While the Republicans believe some of his amendments valuable, they do not believe that the Senate will accept them.

Senate Foreign Affairs two recruits to his side in the Panama matter in Senators Gorman and McCreary of Maryland and Kentucky. They favor some of the amendments and will all fall in the right.

Cuban reciprocity treaty is said to be sure of eventual adoption, as only sixteen senators oppose it. They may, however, delay its ratification for weeks. The Senate will not be in session to end the extra session until April 15.

Sixty Must Vote

for Cuban Treaty.

Sixty senators will have to vote for the Cuban treaty, as that number will constitute the necessary two-thirds. This is on the presumption that all members of the Senate will be present and voting, as the constitution provides that there must be a two-thirds vote if two-thirds of the members present concur.

By this calculation a margin of 14 votes is left for other senators to oppose the treaty.

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## SENATOR MORGAN SPEAKING FOR LONG DISTANCE RECORD



Sketched From Life for the Post-Dispatch.

## MAYOR APPROVES COUNCIL SLATE

Democratic Leaders Agree on  
Five Nominations for  
Upper House.

### DEMOCRATIC

#### COUNCIL TICKET.

Isaac W. Morton of the Simmons Hardware Co.

Horatio N. Davis of the State National Bank, president Smith-Davis Mfg. Co.

Henry G. Rolfe of the Rebels Rolfe Lumber Co.

John C. Clegg, vice-president of Merchants' Exchange.

Dr. Heine Marks, physician.

Sixth candidate not selected.

According to what is deemed good authority a committee representing all the members of the Democratic party has selected five of six candidates for the City Council, and after the slate had been approved by Mayor Wells, the candidates selected were persuaded to take the places assigned them.

The slate selected is in line with the plans to purify municipal politics.

The committee making the selections consisted of Isaac W. Morton, George J. Tansey, John C. Clegg, Dr. Heine Marks, Dr. Harry B. Hayes, E. E. Olson, Frank Kiebler and A. C. Stever.

Isaac W. Morton, one of the men said to have been selected for nomination, has been a very active leader among the residents of the territory just north of Forest Park, who have caused ordinances to be prepared vacating the ground of the Catlin strip and near it and placing the railroad tracks in Forest Park as a compromise to relieve that territory of large railroad yards.

Special committees were necessary to persuade them to take places on the tickets, and Isaac W. Morton, George J. Tansey, John C. Clegg, Dr. Heine Marks, Dr. Harry B. Hayes, E. E. Olson, Frank Kiebler and A. C. Stever.

At the time candidates were chosen there was no opposition to the mayor, and with the exception of the two who were chosen there would be no opposition beyond personal preferences for certain offices.

Mayor Wells will have about 70 appointments to make, and all go to the City Council for approval.

Notice them in our north show window. You see this shoe advertised for more money. Probably you have paid more.

## Brandt's Custom Last

**\$3.50**

Patent Colt, Velour and Vici Kid,  
Goodyear Welt, Medium or Heavy Soles,  
Union Stamp.

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MAIL ORDERS FILLED

**Brandt's**  
619 TO 623 NORTH BROADWAY.

## Young's Grass Seed and Fertilizer for Lawns

OUR LAWN GRASS SEED

Should be sown early to have a beautiful green cover. Quart, 25c. Pk., \$1.

XI FANCY GLEAMED KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS SEED

Is pure and reliable. Pounds, 25c.

LAWN ENRICHER

The best fertilizer for lawns. 5 lbs., 25c; 10 lbs., 50 lbs., \$2.00.

TRY OUR STANDARD COLLECTION OF VEGETABLE SEEDS

It contains 22 packets for \$1.00. Postpaid.

OUR FAMOUS COLLECTION OF VEGETABLE SEEDS

Can not be excelled. 18 packages for 25c. Postpaid.

Write for our catalogues. It contains everything used for gardening.

YOUNG'S 14th AND OLIVE ST.  
ST. LOUIS, MO.

### A DAILY CONVENTION.

In the WANT ad columns

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A DAILY CONVENTION of people

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THINGS TO SAY to each other.

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SLIPPERS MADE OF PAPER.

Much Used in European Hotels by Guests With Dirty Footwear.

Some of the European hotels are introducing a novelty by furnishing each guest on his arrival with a pair of paper slippers, and the paper is made of pure cotton and has the same qualities of the hotel slippers. The slippers are cheap, are of pure cotton, and will not wear out or become torn. There are various qualities of good quality of white paper. The cheapest is made of common brown straw paper.

These paper slippers are a great convenience to cleanliness and form another preventive of contamination, as each pair can be thrown away or destroyed as soon as the wearer has done with them.

## TELEPHONE GIRL FORMS LIFE-TIME CONNECTION

Miss Margaret Sheehey Rings Off at the East St. Louis Exchange to Elope to St. Louis With Charles Christian.

Charles Christian of 818 St. Louis avenue accompanied her. When she returned to East St. Louis she was Mrs. Charles Christian. Later the telephone company learned that another of their young women had deserted them.

Miss Sheehey was, until Wednesday, an employee of the Bell Telephone Co. in East St. Louis. Wednesday morning she left the telephone office, telling Miss McCullough that she would not be at work Wednesday afternoon. She had other business on hand but she did not state its nature. That business included a visit to the St. Louis marriage license office, and the office of Justice of the Peace Carroll.

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The marriage was an elopement, the bride's father, John E. Schenck of North St. Louis, being ignorant of it when he was married.

A third car dashed into the others. It was filled with people. The force of the impact threw three persons out of the first and several were pitched over the seats in front.

A man was trampled upon. All the passengers were considerably shaken up, but were able to resume their seats.

The vestibules of the cars were broken.

At 8 o'clock Thursday morning a street

## THREE PASSENGERS HURT

Collision of Transit Cars at Chouteau and St. Ange Avenues Caused a Stampede.

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## ALBULA IS THE CHOICE IN NEW ORLEANS FEATURE

By Ways in the First Race and Ailyer to Run Second in the Third Are the Handicapper's Prize Selections.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—  
Best selections:  
Byways, in first race.  
Ailyer, place, third race.  
Albula, in fourth race.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—The card today is very light, but still gives promise of good sport. The entries and handicaps are:

First race, seven furlongs. Byways first, Right and True second, Orpheus third.

Brookdale ..... 100 By Ways ..... 105  
Eight and True ..... 110 Fair Lass ..... 105  
Honey ..... 105 Star of the South ..... 105

Byways outclasses this lot. She is rated by some shrewd judges as a filly of great promise. She should have no trouble in beating the hind she meets in this race. As a matter of fact, she is the best of the bunch on a racecard. Right and True should be second and Orpheus third. Albula is the fourth.

Ways in the first, he will be a good bet for the place.

Second race, selling, five furlongs. Antonius first, Lady Brookway second, Ermach third.

Antonius ..... 115 Scotch ..... 107  
Moldavia ..... 115 Star of Samaria ..... 109  
Troy ..... 115 The Star ..... 109  
Henry of Lancaster ..... 115 Lady Brookway ..... 107  
Patent ..... 105

If Antonius could be depended upon to run his race he would make an exhibition of it. He is not a fast horse, capable of being beaten by others than he meets in this race. He is a quick breaker and has the makings of a good racehorse. Antonius is a good buy. Lady Brookway is the best of the bunch. She, too, is speedy, and she should be second, while Ermach looks to hold the others safe.

Third race, selling, six furlongs. Ailyer first, Censor second, Malster third.

Ailyer ..... 115 Malster ..... 112  
Bimont ..... 115 The Caxton ..... 105  
Censor ..... 115

Ailyer should win this race. The field is small and he will escape the interference of others.

He met with an easy victory yesterday. The Censor is the only other horse in the race that is rated to gain a good race, and the Corrigan, however, should be a good buy.

Malster heads the other two safe.

Fourth race, handicap, one mile.

Albula first, Hildreth entry second, Derske third.

Imperial Albula ..... 100 Deneva ..... 98  
Providence ..... 100 Star and Garter ..... 98  
Thane ..... 102

(Deneva and Potente run as McCarter & Hill's entry.)

Albula at the weights should win this race. He is a consistent horse, and when he gets a mile he is a good buy.

Imperial Albula should win all the way. Deneva and Derske rate the best of the others and should finish second and third all named.

Fifth race, selling, one and one-sixteenth miles. Banish first, Ermach second, Mary Moore third.

Asim ..... 108 Thores ..... 98  
Deneva ..... 105 Dougherty ..... 100  
Gibson ..... 105 The Star ..... 100  
Potent ..... 105 Deloraine ..... 94  
Mary Moore ..... 98

Banish, if he runs the race he did the last time out, should win this race. He is a fast horse when fresh. The lot he is added to meet is very bad, and if he does not beat them he will be a cinch to win. Deneva, this seems to be the best of the others and should be second, while Mary Moore should be no worse than third.

Sixth race, one and one-sixteenth miles. Sue Johnson first, Denny Duffy second, Inspector Sheen third.

Inspector Sheen ..... 107 Simon ..... 97  
Moroni ..... 103 Whitmore ..... 94  
Potent ..... 105 Sue Johnson ..... 99  
Locust Blossom ..... 99 Moran ..... 92  
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Five pounds apprentice allowance claimed. Sue Johnson is in at a weight which she likes. The good horse also, and if she does like him, the other good horses there will be no contest whatever to it. Watch this market on the stable which has the reputation of managing Denny Duffy. He should not be worse than second and if any mistakes are made with Sue, Duffy will win. Inspector Sheen seems to have trained off. Moretti looks bad.

San Francisco Entries.

First race, selling, six furlongs:  
Flambeau ..... 97 Pat Mortimer ..... 103  
John Borge ..... 107 Tulane ..... 105  
Mendes ..... 105 Bee Rosewater ..... 104  
John G. ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
Gym ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
Third race, selling, one mile and a sixteenth:  
John Borge ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
not Cedar ..... 105 Grand Schem ..... 107  
Balantyne ..... 105 King of Honor ..... 111  
John G. ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
Ibler ..... 107 Star Cottus ..... 111  
Fourth race, selling, six furlongs:  
John Borge ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
Gym ..... 105 Ipolina ..... 104  
Sixth race, selling, six furlongs:  
Candy ..... 105 Duran ..... 103  
Lytic ..... 105 Sterling Towers ..... 103  
Lytic Kent ..... 105

NEW ORLEANS RESULTS.

First race, six furlongs. Not Cedar ..... 102 (Fond), 1 to 1, first. John Borge ..... 112 (Balantyne), 5 to 1, second. Musical Slippers 107 (John G.), 3 to 1, third. Time: 1:17.4-5.

Second race, five furlongs. John Borge ..... 106 (Lytic), 6 to 1, first. John Borge ..... 110 (John G.), 5 to 1, second. Lady Brookway ..... 93 (Poth), 12 to 1, third. Time: 1:04.

Alvarez, Our Lady, Katie Gibson, Miss Hume, Little Chick, Miss Russell, Letitia and Hazeldean also ran.

Third race, six furlongs—Right and True ..... 105 (John G.), 4 to 1, first. Time: 1:06. John G. and Hazeldean, 105 (Lytic), 4 to 1, third. Time: 1:06. Hazeldean and Dr. Lody also ran.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Right and True ..... 105 (John G.), 4 to 1, first. Time: 1:06. Hazeldean and Dr. Lody also ran.

Second race, five furlongs—Miss ..... 106 (Lytic), 6 to 1, first. Time: 1:06. Hazeldean and Dr. Lody also ran.

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# SIXTY-FOUR ASPIRANTS FOR HOUSE; FOUR WILL HAVE NO OPPOSITION

Post-Dispatch Presents Occupations and Records of Candidates for Seats as Delegates—Eleven Are Members of Present Combine, Ten Are Saloonists.

Sixty-four names of aspirants for seats in the House of Delegates are on file in the office of the Board of Election Commissioners. Thirty-five of these are Democrats and 29 Republicans.

Fifty of these will be candidates at the election, a be held April 7. In six of the city's 23 wards only one party will have a candidate. In the Third, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third wards, the Democratic nomination is uncontested, as are the names of their Democratic aspirants.

Twenty-four of the names of the Twenty-first and John R. McCarthy of the Twenty-third, will have no opposition at the party primaries, so that their election to the House is now assured.

In the Twelfth ward, Dr. Arthur Hammerstein, the Republican candidate, has a similar walkover.

Of the members of the present House,

## Blood Was Poisoned.

A Happy Cure After Use of Two Bottles of

## Paine's Celery Compound

The Spring System Cleanser

Health is that natural state of the whole body in which the entire nervous system is so perfectly regulated that it can, without undue effort, perform its numerous

les, all important duties.

The blood as it courses through the body must bear nourishment and life or poison and death.

In the spring season thousands around us suffer from various forms of blood dis-

orders.

WITHOEFFT AND LUEKING.

FOURTEENTH WARD—John E. Witchoeff, a Democrat, is the only political worker.

He held a job under the Ziegler administration in the street department. He has also been on the central committee. He is now a contractor, and lives at 315 North Ninth street.

August C. Lueking, the Democratic candidate, is vice-president of the Mount City Coupe Co. He resides at 1297 Hebrew street. He is new in politics.

HEFFERNAN, MCALIFFE, LYNAM

THIRD WARD—The Republicans have filed no name from this ward, and the contest will be for the Democratic nomination. John P. McAliffe, one of the most picturesque members of the House, represented this ward for the past three terms. For his place three men are struggling. They are J. T. Heffernan, a saloon keeper at 124 North Third street, T. M. McAliffe at 1424 Collins street, and Inspector in the Liquor Control Commission, who has signed that place if nominated, and J. T. Lynam, a clerk, residing at 1226 Cass avenue.

RINNEY AND CASE.

FOURTH WARD—Thomas E. Kinney, more widely known by the sobriquet of "Snake," has been renominated. He is a saloon keeper with places in the Cass, Collins, and also at 212 North Ninth street. Before his election to the House two years ago, Kinney had a police record, which he has since enlarged.

Clarence Case, a young attorney, who lives at 1325 Washington avenue, has undertaken to oppose Kinney on the Republican ticket. He is a member of the Young Men's Christian Association and an active Republican.

HORCHLER AND CONRAN.

FIFTH WARD—Henry Horchler of 1236 Clark avenue, is the Republican candidate. The directory says he is a foreman. Politically, he is unknown. Opposed to him is "Ike" Conran, a veteran Butler adherent.

He is a saloon keeper with places in the Cass, Collins, and also at 212 North Ninth street. He resides at 108 North Twelfth. This was the ward of representation in the previous House, and Conran was elevated to a Justice court bench.

NEUM AND ZIMMERMAN.

SIXTH WARD—Henry Neum, the Republican candidate, is manager of the grocery establishment of Philip Neum, at the northeast corner of St. Ange and Park avenues. The Neum family has lived in that neighborhood for years and is highly regarded. This is Mr. Neum's first political venture.

His Democratic opponent is W. C. Zimmerman, a saloon keeper at 1242 Chouteau and Cass. He is now under penitentiary sentence for perjury and is a member of this ward. He is a Democrat.

PEFFEL AND ROTT.

SEVENTH WARD—Henry Pfeffel, the present Republican member, has no opposition for nomination. He is a teamster and lives at 2006 South Second street. He is a member of the present House combination.

George Rott, whom the Democrats will nominate in opposition, is a saloon keeper at 1456 South Second street.

BECKER AND BLOCK.

EIGHTH WARD—The Republican nominee will be John H. Becker, new deputy factory inspector. His present position will be terminated in April and he wants a new municipal office. While holding his present office he was indicted for attempting to influence influence. Jury Commissioner Weinbrenner in his selection of the bonding committee, before the trial was acquitted on a technicality. He lives at 1232 South Seventh street.

The directory gives his occupation as a driver and his residence as 228 South Third street.

FOUR ASPIRANTS IN NINTH.

NINTH WARD—Here there are three candidates for the Republican nomination. One is John P. Nolde of 319 South Ninth street, proprietor of a dental office on North Ninth street. By coincidence another is a dentist, Dr. E. Lehmann of 235 Pestalozzi street. Louis C. Helm, a clerk for the Kellogg newspaper, is the third aspirant. Helm's residence is new. He has been constable. T. S. Stoops, the Democratic candidate, has a roofing business at 1865 Lynd street and resides at 289 South Eighteenth street.

SIMMONS AND HUGHES.

TENTH WARD—Frank N. Simmons, a plumber, unknown in politics, is the Republican nominee. He lives at 301 South Jefferson avenue and his place of business is 1220 South Jefferson. William H. Hughes, the only Democratic candidate, is well known in Democratic politics as the chief lieutenant of "Charley" Busch in his battle against the rival brewers, Busch and Stroh. His nomination is taken to indicate that some change has been effected between the hostile camps. Hughes lives at 2633 Keokuk street.

KOELN AND NEIL.

ELEVENTH WARD—"Ed" Koeln, the present speaker pro tem., is the Republican candidate once more in this ward. He

is a saloon keeper with places in the Cass, Collins, and Pine. Goods dealer.

TRUSS, JR. Great Jones St. N. Y.

belongs to an old Carondelet family and known most of his constituents personally. Though he lives at 761 South Broadway, he is the proprietor of a saloon on Pine street, next to Pine and Pine. He has been a member of the combine throughout his present term.

Edward J. O'Neill, unknown in politics, was selected by the Democrats to furnish the opposition. He is a Wabash clerk who lives at 631 Loughborough avenue.

DR. HAMMERSTEIN UNOPPOSED.

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WILLIAMS AND GANDER.

THIRTEEN WARD—Unusually good candidates are presented by both parties in this ward. August Nasse, the Republican candidate, is a wholesale grocer, a well-to-do citizen of good standing and in the business world. He has never before been a member of the House.

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RICHTER AND GRIFFIN.

FIRST WARD—Ernst W. F. Richter, only Republican candidate for the nomination, is a former member of the Legislature. He is in the roofing business at 4508 North Twenty-second street, and resides at 216 East Warne avenue. He is not widely known in political circles.

W. D. Griffin, the only Democratic aspirant in this ward, is also not well known politically. The directory gives his business as a notary public with an office in the Merron and Jacquier building, and his residence at 426A St. Louis avenue.

WITHOEFFT AND LUEKING.

FOURTEEN WARD—John E. Witchoeff, a Democrat, who represents the ward at present will again be the Democratic candidate. He lives at 1202 South Twenty-third street and is a notary public with the Eads Building. He has run across the Eads Building.

The only candidate for the nomination is a blacksmith, Fred M. Gander, who resides at 1202 South Randal street. Gander is an unknown quantity.

THREE SALOON MEN.

FIFTEEN WARD—A saloon man will represent this ward in the next House unless an independent candidate should be nominated and elected. There have been no seekers for the Republican nomination, and the three saloon keepers who have the Democratic ticket are all in the beer-selling business. One is a keeper, another is a saloon proprietor, and the third is a saloon-owning firm.

Andrew Gazzolo, Jr., the present incumbent, is a loyal combine man. He is a keeper in his father's saloon at 2001 Morgan street. Jerry Reardon, another saloon keeper, is the other member of the firm of Reardon & Griffin. Their third parlor is at the southeast corner of Seventeenth street and Franklin avenue. The Griffin partnership is "Nick" Griffin, an active

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He held a job under the Ziegler administration in the street department. He has also been on the central committee. He is now a contractor, and lives at 315 North Ninth street.

August C. Lueking, the Democratic candidate, is vice-president of the Mount City Coupe Co. He resides at 1297 Hebrew street. He is new in politics.

HEFFERNAN, MCALIFFE, LYNAM

THIRD WARD—The Republicans have filed no name from this ward, and the contest will be for the Democratic nomination. John P. McAliffe, one of the most picturesque members of the House, represented this ward for the past three terms. For his place three men are struggling. They are J. T. Heffernan, a saloon keeper at 124 North Third street, T. M. McAliffe at 1424 Collins street, and Inspector in the Liquor Control Commission, who has signed that place if nominated, and J. T. Lynam, a clerk, residing at 1226 Cass avenue.

RINNEY AND CASE.

FOURTH WARD—Thomas E. Kinney, more widely known by the sobriquet of "Snake," has been renominated. He is a saloon keeper with places in the Cass, Collins, and also at 212 North Ninth street. Before his election to the House two years ago, Kinney had a police record, which he has since enlarged.

Clarence Case, a young attorney, who lives at 1325 Washington avenue, has undertaken to oppose Kinney on the Republican ticket. He is a member of the Young Men's Christian Association and an active Republican.

HORCHLER AND CONRAN.

FIFTH WARD—Henry Horchler of 1236 Clark avenue, is the Republican candidate. The directory says he is a foreman. Politically, he is unknown. Opposed to him is "Ike" Conran, a veteran Butler adherent.

He is a saloon keeper with places in the Cass, Collins, and also at 212 North Ninth street. He resides at 108 North Twelfth. This was the ward of representation in the previous House, and Conran was elevated to a Justice court bench.

NEUM AND ZIMMERMAN.

SIXTH WARD—Henry Neum, the Republican candidate, is manager of the grocery establishment of Philip Neum, at the northeast corner of St. Ange and Park avenues. The Neum family has lived in that neighborhood for years and is highly regarded. This is Mr. Neum's first political venture.

His Democratic opponent is W. C. Zimmerman, a saloon keeper at 1242 Chouteau and Cass. He is now under penitentiary sentence for perjury and is a member of this ward. He is a Democrat.

PEFFEL AND ROTT.

SEVENTH WARD—Henry Pfeffel, the present Republican member, has no opposition for nomination. He is a teamster and lives at 2006 South Second street. He is a member of the present House combination.

George Rott, whom the Democrats will nominate in opposition, is a saloon keeper at 1456 South Second street.

BECKER AND BLOCK.

EIGHTH WARD—The Republican nominee will be John H. Becker, new deputy factory inspector. His present position will be terminated in April and he wants a new municipal office. While holding his present office he was indicted for attempting to influence influence. Jury Commissioner Weinbrenner in his selection of the bonding committee, before the trial was acquitted on a technicality. He lives at 1232 South Seventh street.

The directory gives his occupation as a driver and his residence as 228 South Third street.

FOUR ASPIRANTS IN NINTH.

NINTH WARD—Here there are three candidates for the Republican nomination. One is John P. Nolde of 319 South Ninth street, proprietor of a dental office on North Ninth street. By coincidence another is a dentist, Dr. E. Lehmann of 235 Pestalozzi street. Louis C. Helm, a clerk for the Kellogg newspaper, is the third aspirant. Helm's residence is new. He has been constable. T. S. Stoops, the Democratic candidate, has a roofing business at 1865 Lynd street and resides at 289 South Eighteenth street.

SIMMONS AND HUGHES.

TENTH WARD—Frank N. Simmons, a plumber, unknown in politics, is the Republican nominee. He lives at 301 South Jefferson avenue and his place of business is 1220 South Jefferson. William H. Hughes, the only Democratic candidate, is well known in Democratic politics as the chief lieutenant of "Charley" Busch in his battle against the rival brewers, Busch and Stroh. His nomination is taken to indicate that some change has been effected between the hostile camps. Hughes lives at 2633 Keokuk street.

KOELN AND NEIL.

ELEVENTH WARD—"Ed" Koeln, the present speaker pro tem., is the Republican candidate once more in this ward. He

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## HOW BLIND MAN READS THE MIND

## SPANISH CABINET RECEIVES FRANCIS

Dr. Newell Perry Judges Persons by the Inflections and Tone of the Voice.

## IT IS A BETTER INDEX THAN THE APPEARANCE

He Can Detect Vanity, Dishonesty, Insanity, Illness, Age and Many Other Traits.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 5.—A remarkable blind man is Dr. Newell Perry Ph. D., Ph. B., of New York, private tutor to a hundred Columbia College students. He is a celebrated mathematician and a graduate of the University of Munich, Chicago and San Francisco.

To the Post-Dispatch correspondent Dr. Perry dictated the following explanation of his method of analyzing the inflections and expressions of the human voice:

BY DR. NEWELL PERRY.

The voice tells you instantly whether the speaker is a man of action, whether he possesses spirituality and is an infallible index to a man's mind. Judgment, intelligence, understanding and character stand revealed the moment he speaks. Good or evil, he can be detected at a glance, of course easily read in a man's ideas, but where the face and conduct are usually taken as the index, the inflections of the voice far surpasses them both as such, in safety and accuracy. Such knowledge as to the mind of a man can be gained in a few moments as to his character. To me, blind from my early childhood, I cannot recollect ever having been without the knowledge.

For instance, almost as soon as I hear the voices of some people I instinctively shrink from them almost involuntarily. They inspire me with a fear and repulsion. Their first impressions are usually borne out by subsequent information. I try in the first instance to make out the man's character, the more I hear their voices the more repulsive they become to me. Such voices of course, I try to avoid.

Pride, vanity, honest, truth and all other human attributes are quickly betrayed by the tones and expressions of the voice.

Vanity is known the moment it is heard in the expression. It is one of the traits of human weakness most easily discovered. Honesty is known the moment it is heard in everything a vain person says. This is especially noticeable in the speech of young men, who are most anxious to make the outward impression they make in speaking. They study their expressions and movements.

Honesty is usually denoted by a stilted and lofty tone and has much the same outward appearance as dignity, only in an exaggerated degree.

Dishonesty of mind is dishonesty of speech, they are correlated. The mind of a dishonest man denoted by a lack of smooth, artificial expression, sometimes hesitating, sometimes constrained, at other times it is detected, constrained and convince with false logic and fey speech.

Dishonesty can be detected through the voice at a great distance. Frequently I have been asked by friends to take up one end of a telephone receiver to assist them in reading the mind and purpose of the person at the other end.

My method is to get the thoughts of a person to draw him out to the fullest, not so much to absorb his thoughts or to analyze his expressions and speech. I let him talk on until he chooses without attempting to guide his thoughts, if he is interested in any particular subject he will talk on it with enthusiasm. I let him try to convince me, but pay no attention to what he says beyond the words, and keeping an ear for fallacious or unsound reasoning. It's usually the logic of an argument—or the lack of it—that gives the slighted degree that betrays the ulterior motives of the speaker. I never offer a correction during a speech, so as to keep the speaker off his guard.

On the other hand, the voice discovers honest or dishonest purpose almost instantly. It is a better index than the inflections and than the countenance. Disimulation with the voice to a trained ear is impossible. There is no secret on that score. Disimulation is facial appearance is more difficult to detect. Whereas ordinary man is easily detected, and penetrates this facial disimulation, the interpreter of the voice has no such mask to unmask. Once in the facial expression and physique influence or the commanding man. He is prepossessed by appearance and deception is often at the bottom of the deepest mystery. He is prepossessed by no such outward physical expression. All this is discounted to zero to a blind man.

MRS. BIRCH RECOVERED.

Will Not See Grandson and Will Close Up Her Home.

URBVILLE, Ky., March 5.—Mrs. Birch, the central figure of the poisoning case, is much improved acting out the active of her physical will leave early next week for Morristown, where she will visit her sister, Joe McCawley. At the conclusion of this there she will go East to a quieting place, where she will spend the rest of the summer.

It is absolutely necessary Mrs. will not be present at the trial of her son, Birch Cooper, who is under arrest on the charge of placing the poison in the coffee.

strain of the trial would be too great to bear, and the physicians have said strongly that her being subjected to any excitement.

Birch left the house of her son and for the first time since her son was found there from her own safety, to go near her own home, to revive the painful memories of the place where she will close the place forever, and her lifetime the family mansion remain unoccupied.

## HEADACHE,

her caused by nervous affection or a bilious condition of the system, quickly cured by Hostetter's bitters. It gets at the root of the trouble—the stomach, and by making strong and healthy, the nerves are soothed and the liver and kidneys fated. Try it the next time your headache. It will also cure Indigestion, constipation, Insomnia and a.

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## SPANISH CABINET RECEIVES FRANCIS

President of World's Fair Hopes to Leave Madrid Tonight for Paris.

MADRID, March 5.—President Francis of the St. Louis World's Fair was received here today by King Alfonso and ministred. The interview came together in a special session at his office and there Mr. Francis was introduced to the others by the Minister of Agriculture, whom he met yesterday.

Mr. Francis spoke enthusiastically in an effort to win the cabinet's support for a greater Spanish display at the World's Fair and to secure a larger Spanish delegation. He attended his remarkable short stops in London and Paris.

When he arrived here Minister Hardy met him at the station. Then Secretary Sickles of the United States legation escorted him to the ministry of agriculture, where he talked for an hour with the minister.

He dined later with Minister and Mrs. Gómez and then left, Mrs. Parsons having attended his remarkable short stops in London and Paris.

He will leave Madrid Saturday night, returning to Paris, where tomorrow and Saturday nights he will be a guest at banquets given by the Emperor of Germany.

He will leave Paris Sunday night for Berlin to see Emperor William.

SALT LAKE PART FRESH NOW

Railroad Fill Across Famous Utah Lake Entirely Changes Character of One Section of It.

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Capt. Coffin has no dead sure thing in his undertaking of finding the pole.

The man who has the most voice in American legislation is the reading clerk.

The \$1000 bills that float about a state capital during a legislative session are sure signs of moral wrecks.

IS THE MAJORITY AFRAID.

The state House of Representatives defeated the resolution providing for an investigation of the charges of bribery made by the Rev. Crayton Brooks.

Why?

Was the majority of the House convinced that there has been no bribery during this session? Or was the majority afraid to investigate the charges?

Has there been no bribery this session? Have no legislators violated the law by accepting passes from railroads?

Why is important legislation blocked? Why is it impossible to secure legislation affecting the interests of rich and powerful corporations? What are the influences controlling the action of the general assembly?

Is the majority afraid to discover and make public the answers to these questions?

... legislative vote against publicity may prove as damaging to suspected members as publicity itself.

MARTHA WASHINGTON UP TO DATE.

The Martha Washington is the new woman's hotel, just opened with imposing ceremonies at New York.

It is named after the motherly person who shares with the Father of his Country the esteem of all good Americans. Yet Martha Washington would not be permitted to rent rooms in this up-to-date domicile for women. Martha Washington had four children and children are not permitted at the women's hostelry named after her. If she were living she would have to take herself and her obnoxious youngsters somewhere else. She would find it hard to get a flat in which to hide them; the stylish clerks at the big hotels would look askance at them, and real estate dealers with "eligible" residences to let would rule them out. The only place where she would find a welcome with such a pedigree would be the despised East Side.

This is what we are coming to. The mother instinct is wrong and must be suppressed. Children are "bad form" and a nuisance. Martha Washington must be up-to-date or take the consequences.

The Herzlichkeit of the German reception of the World's Fair president will be equal to that of any of his welcome in Europe.

LET US ALONE.

The Legislature will do the city of St. Louis an ill turn if it sends us back to the corrupt system of school management abolished in 1897.

The Collins bill is vicious in every line. It proposes a return to the district method of electing school directors, each district comprising two wards, the board to consist of fourteen members.

The district system is discredited everywhere, and is being abandoned. Our former rotten school boards and the House of delegates are examples which glaringly illustrate its viciousity.

... of board we now have, elected on a general ticket, as efficient.

If there are any faults in the details of administration of the schools they can be corrected without disturbing a system which is the best we ever had.

Let us alone.

It is very puzzling to try to understand why the country has banded together four years without any senators from Delaware.

IS IT TRUE?

The refusal of Mr. Lou Sanders to be a candidate for the House of Delegates on the ground that the character of the controlling majority of his associates will be so bad that no good can be done by good men is not encouraging.

Is the charge true? Are the people of St. Louis sheep that they permit themselves to be driven and sheared year after year by a gang of thieves? Is it so bad that decent men cannot stand a hand to save the city's good name? If so, then a public confession is in order that the city has gone to pot since it became.

We must confess that the "influences" behind the men elected to the House of Delegates are too strong to be resisted.

And yet these "influences" are not numerous or personally consequential. They are men who derive their power from their willingness to use great wealth for purposes of public corruption. Do we confess our inability to head them off? Will Guliver allow himself to be bound once more by the Lilliputians?

Mr. Sanders' refusal to become a candidate for the House of Delegates raises a very serious question which St. Louisians cannot evade.

Is what he says true? If so, what are we going to do about it?

No judge has ever been elected to the presidency. It used to be that "Mo" had ever been elected to that place. One of this sortments to be as much as the other. It is now even necessary for the name of a presidential candidate to end with "n." The candidacy of an upright judge, a presidential qualifications, would appeal to the American people as much as that of any other capable nominee.

HARLEQUINS IN THE SENATE.

With Senator Tillman's "hold-up" the scandal of senatorial obstruction reaches a climax.

Threatening to tail the naval appropriation and general dependency appropriation bills to death he compelled the Senate and the conference committee to allow a doubtful claim. With his power of talk he brought a whole nation to his feet.

No wonder Mr. Cannon used harsh words. "I prayed that my life might be spared," said the old veteran, "until a righteous public sentiment shall lash the Senate into the majority rule in the House of Representatives must force this issue or become record of the will of one man in the Upper House."

A noble senator proposed to hold the floor reading the contents of Byron, while the life of the Fifty-Seventh Congress ebbed away. Calhoun yielded rather than assume the responsibility of an extra session.

To describe this performance is not too strong—legally it is the case exactly.

... when Senator Quay

livers a seven-day rancorogue on a threadbare subject and Tillman reads poetry to coerce the Congress it is nonsense to talk about debate.

Self-respect should restrain these senatorial jesters. More, it should prompt the "graver members of the 'greatest legislative assembly in the world'" to take measures to save its reputation and their own. If they do not soon establish some rule to circumvent the harlequins the Senate will have to be lashed into majority rule by a "righteous public sentiment."

The Post-Dispatch's suggestion of arbitration in the Wabash dispute points to the wise solution of this controversy. It would be better for the company, better for the men and better for the public, all of whom would suffer loss by a strike. The differences are apparently not great and could probably be settled by sensible arbitrators. The National Civic Federation could prove its usefulness in a signal manner by adjusting this dispute. It would be a valuable precedent in other disputes between railroads and their employees.

INADEQUATE, BUT A BEGINNING.

Representative Underwood's indictment of the Republican majority in Congress for what it failed to do during the recent session is true only in part.

It is true that the Congress did to do several important things which ought to have been done. The Senate failed to pass the Panama canal treaty, the Cuban reciprocity treaty, to give relief to the business interests of the Philippines or to reduce the burdensome tariff taxes, except in the case of the anthracite coal tax.

It is true that the Congress did not meet the administration in the matter of trust legislation. It failed to pass the Littlefield publicity measure, with the clause prohibiting rebates and discriminations by the great industrial corporations, as well as by the railroads. The House passed the bill, but the Senate refused to strike a direct blow at the "freezing out" practices of the trusts and to force them into publicity.

But it is not true that the Republicans have passed no important measures to check unlawful combines. The Republicans passed the bill providing for the expedition of trust cases under the Sherman anti-trust act, and providing an appropriation for the prosecution of these cases. They added to the Department of Commerce an amendment providing for the investigation of corporations not within the purview of the Interstate commerce commission. This publicity provision does not equal in effectiveness that of the Littlefield bill, but it is a beginning.

The Elkins and anti-rebate measures prohibiting rebates and discriminations on the part of railroads will in a measure affect the trusts, although not so potently as the Littlefield anti-trust clause would have done.

These remedies are inadequate, but they mark progress. The Republicans have made a beginning—they have done something to prove good faith, which is more than can be said for the Democrats.

All of the anti-trust legislation now in the federal statute books is Republican legislation. All the prosecuting of the trusts has been by a Republican attorney-general. What trust measures have the Democrats ever passed? What trust did the Democrats prosecute when they were in power? What practical remedy for monopoly oppression has any Democrat proposed?

Senator Nelson's bill providing for the licensing of pugilism and the regulation of the sport under a state commission marks progress. The great State of Missouri, engaged in the business of running prize fights and taking a rake-off from the receipts, would be a spectacle for gods and men. The senator's bill should provide for an official announcer, an official referee, official spongeholders, blood swipers, etc. Under such a law most congressional offices would be provided for the senator and his friends and the prize ring would assume its proper dignity as an educational institution for the uplifting of the youth of Missouri.

MISSOURI WILL SHOW HIM.

President Roosevelt will have the time of his life if he shall decide to accept the invitation of Col. M. C. Wetmore of St. Louis to spend a week or more hunting on his game preserves in Tazey County, Missouri.

In the Ozark mountains President Roosevelt will find such game as was never dreamed of in the lowlands of Mississippi. He will find himself in the midst of a veritable sportsman's paradise. Not even the Rocky Mountains can exceed it in the quantity or fierceness of the game to be found there, and as for variety—in what quarter of the world is the fame of the Ozark scenery unknown?

In Missouri the President will find bears, red deer, wildcats, panthers and catamounts, and we even have a few mountain lions reserved for the especial use of our visitors who cannot spare the time to go to Colorado for an outfit. Also, be it known, we have wild turkeys, prairie chickens, quail, hawks, rabbits, gray squirrels, fox squirrels, lynxes, foxes, weasels, and last but not least, the juicy "possum," the particular delicacy most appreciated and yearned for by members of Booker Washington's race.

Furthermore, our streams are filled with perch, catfish, pike, suckers, buffalo and the succulent black bass and toothsome brook trout.

What more could the President desire—what more could any man desire—than to be turned loose to prey and forage in a land of such surpassing richness in the way of fish, game and excitement? By all means let our presidential lion tamer come to Missouri, the home of pristine natural beauty, pretty girls and wild beasts.

Our young president is an aggressive author, a fierce warrior, a mountain climber, a lion slayer, a bronco buster, a problem seeker and the head of a large family. Future presidents will not say, "I would be a second Washington," or "I would be a second Lincoln," but "I would be a second Roosevelt."

As an element of debate "Don Juan" is not equal to the "Hunting of the Snark," which contains the perfection of sanity and reason. Senator Tillman and I improve his statesmanship by a thorough study of the Boojum and his ways.

Barges "loaded to the water's edge" with wheat are now leaving St. Louis for Tennessee as a result of the car shortage. The importance of river transportation is very much in evidence just now.

What kind of immortality is this Senator Davis Nelson is after? Not content with his perpetual-dramshop-license measure, he has introduced a bill to license prize fights in Missouri.

These are the actors in an eccentrics who get most of the publicity nowadays and so great has been their success that the matinee heroes and other would-be lady-killers have been forced to resort to a new dodge to keep pace.

Come to St. Louis and get arrested for spitting on the sidewalk.

IT HAS BEEN DONE.

"Imperious Caesar, dead and turned to clay, Might stop a hole to keep the wind away," And Bryan's words in Tillman's grasping hands.

Can't block the Congress of this mighty land.

Well may the pallid Hamlet cry, aghast: "To what base uses may we come at last!"

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In schools where the effects of alcohol are taught no doubt those states are mentioned in which a barkeeper gets \$12 a month and a teacher \$35.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

East St. Louis husbands should try to remember that a wife with cold feet may have a warm heart.

Those who would not allow policemen to drink have no idea of the suffering that such a restriction would cause.

If King Edward were to come into Union Station and behold those red coats he would think he had landed in England.

The revelation of the Princess Louise's intention to elope with an American dentist has naturally raised a howl in Saxon.

Kaiser Wilhelm very much needs a rest, but when he hears that T. R. is soon to scale Mt. Shasta he may undertake some new stunt.

When the president reaches the frozen heights of Mt. Shasta he may find an "outfit" of office-seekers waiting for him there in the snow.

Longfellow is not here to write an Excelsior poem for the President's Shasta ascent, and the spring poets are all busy on the verbiage.

Undoubtedly many visitors to the greatest World's Fair will return home with Prof. Wallace's idea that our planet is the most important now revolving in space.

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C. H. N.—There is no premium on a defense bond.

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## HERR TOUGH

## S DOG PROVES FALSE TO HIS TRUST



1. Herr Toughluck—Dot's a great scheme! Toodles holds up her window, and if I falls asleep he will not let anypodes come in yet.

2. Swipes—Gee! Here's me chance for some fun. I'll git a sausage and do a little fishin'.

3. Swipes—Dis'll make de cur jump or I'm

## RAPID TRANSIT.

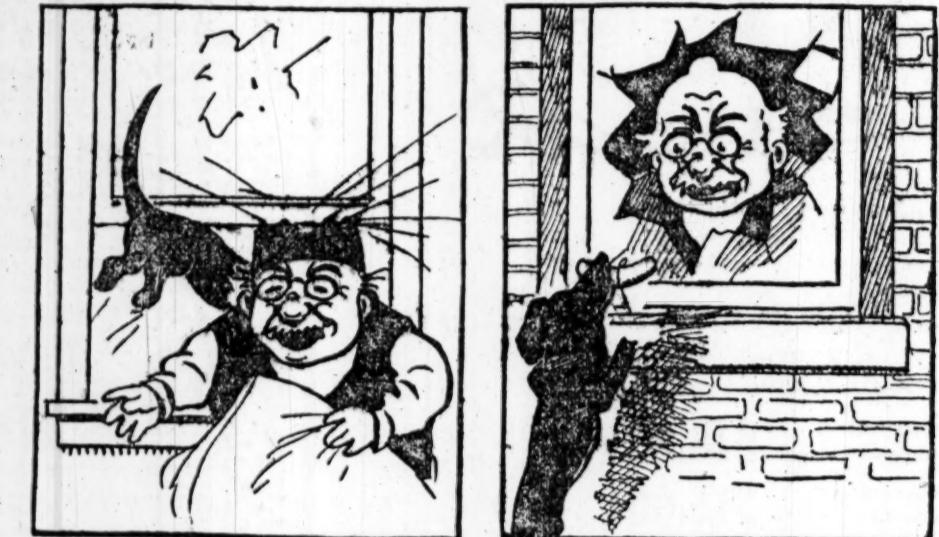
Do you live far from the center of the city? No; only about half an hour's journey by trolley?"  
Leaves! No. That takes an hour. I n when I walk."—Philadelphia Press.

## NOT HIS FAULT.

Persons How can you reconstruct this thing with your conscience? I contribute to the missionary cause, yet you sell idols to the heathen! Philadelphia Manufacturer: They are as dolls, can't help it, can I. The heathens make idols of them!—Philadelphia Press.

## MOVING DAY.

Isiah Jackson: Mah goodness, woman! aff yo' let dat po' ill Rastus walk dese rough roads! Dat boy ought to carried! Peahs to my yo' gittin' powful y, woman!



4—Herr Toughluck: Himmel und wunderland! What was dat explosion, already?

5—Toodles: Well, I got the sausage.



## The Children's Corner

Enigma—A Word.  
am composed of 11 terms.  
y first is in rag, but not in cloth.  
y second is in aye, but not in bow.  
y third is in ace, but not in deuce.  
y fourth is in apple, but not in orange.  
y fifth is in hind, but not in stag.  
y sixth is in orb, but not in eye.  
y seventh is in hump, but not in violin.  
y eighth is in bath, but not in cleanse.  
y ninth is in room, but not in wander.  
y tenth is in neck, but not in head.  
y eleventh is in wet, but not in dry.  
y whole is an instrument that is very  
entertaining and is also a great invention.  
Philadelphia North American.

## Particular.

Little Dorothy had just begun to go to under-school, and had been much interested in the story of the creation, the story of the i. d. etc., as her teacher had told them to her.

One day Dorothy was taken by her uncle to see the menagerie. When she came home she told her mother all about the strange animals she had seen. She enjoyed the porpoise and the funny monkeys, but the tigers "big pussies" but the huge, homely hippopotamus had evidently made a most unfavorable impression on her youthful mind. She described it to her mamma as well as she could—the huge, ugly beast with its great red mouth.

Then she was silent a few minutes, thinking matters over in her small mind. Dorothy usually had quite decided opinions of her own.

Suddenly she asked, "Mamma, did God make everything? Did he make all the animals?"

"Yes, dear," replied her mother.

"Did he did he make the—hippopotamus, mamma?"

"Yes, dear."

"Well!" said Dorothy, in a tone of great decision, giving her yellow curls a toss.

"I'm going to Sunday-school any more!"—March Woman's Home Companion.

Requirements of a President.

To tell a boy that he may be President is to put the Presidency above other earthly prizes attainable by our future men, and to imply that the route to the Presidency is a people's free highway. There is, in truth, no royal road to the White House.

New York World.

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## CHURCH A FORT IN FACTS' STRIFE

Fashionable Atlanta Congregation at Fistfights Over Its Possession.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 5.—A condition of disorder bordering on riot prevails this morning in the fashionable Jones Avenue Baptist Church. After a night of argument, and even blows between two members, whom disputes divided into two camps, one of the facts is in possession of the church, while the other holds its pews. One man has been badly bruised in the fighting. The difficulty arose over the application

by a certain portion of the church members for an injunction to restrain the pastor, Rev. W. J. Holtsclaw, from interfering with the facts, which desire retention of the pastor, is now in possession of the church.

The Jones Avenue is one of the leading churches of the denomination in Atlanta.

Father Ronayne, S. J., Dies.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The Rev.

Maurice Ronayne, S. J., is dead. For the

last five years he was spiritual director of

the Jesuits at St. John's college, Foreign

missions, and for his

translation of two volumes of Veracry's

meditations and his authorship of the

works entitled "Philosophy and Science,

and God Knows and Knows."

He died from old age.

Lunch and Basket Ball Rooms.

High school boys are so crowded for

space in which to eat their noon lunches

that they have petitioned for the use of

the attic of the building. The Board of

Education Committee on Instruction

thought the suggestion a good one and it

was adopted, so the boys will eat lunch

in the basket ball room. The room is to

provide a basketball room for the girls, was favorably

received and an effort will be made to

obtain a room.

For CONSTIPATION Drink  
ON ARISING HALF TUMBLERFUL  
Hunyadi János

WHY? Because it will positively cure it, with more safety than any other remedy known to the medical profession.

Be careful, however, that you get Hunyadi János, as some concoctions are put up and represented to be Hunyadi Water which are not only worthless, but are often harmful. Your physician will recommend Hunyadi János. Look at the label, it is Blue with Red Center.

Stylishly Gowned and  
the Reason Why



American Lady  
TRADE MARK  
Corsets

Persuade most stylish and gracefully symmetrical lines. They encourage an even and well proportioned development of the entire torso and tend to remedy natural defects of form. Where perfect lines already exist they accentuate them through the attire.

### Longfelo Models

are decidedly proper for spring. The long skirt which securely encompasses the hips produces a perfectly smooth sloping surface, the all-essential with a snug fitting outerskirt.

### One Hundred and Fifty Styles.

\$1.00 to \$5.00.

A Shape for Every Figure.

At Your Dealers.

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By reliable, accurate dentists, who are experts in our system of painless dentistry. Don't throw your money away on the most costly dentists when you can have it done by us for the cost of material. Positively no students.

TEETH  
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All work done by graduate dentists.

Bring your ad. with you. Be sure you are the best place.

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